Hint
When you compare fractions using a number line, the number line has to represent the same whole for each fraction. Consider using a benchmark fraction that can help you determine if the fractions you are comparing are equivalent or if one fraction is larger/smaller than the other.

When you compare fractions using common denominators, find the least common multiple for the denominators, create equivalent fractions that have that common multiple as the denominator, then compare the numerators.

